

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.R. No. 45

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2015
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committees on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and
Military Affairs and Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred
S.R. No. 45 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
TO PROVIDE AN ITEMIZED ACCOUNTING OF THE \$1,000,000 THAT THE
JUSTICE REINVESTMENT INITIATIVE SET ASIDE IN 2012 FOR
COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAMS AND THE \$3,400,000 SET ASIDE IN 2013
FOR EXPANDING TREATMENT PROGRAMS AND VICTIMS' SERVICES AND
INITIATING PLANS TO ESTABLISH A RESEARCH AND PLANNING
OFFICE,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the
Department of Public Safety to provide an itemized accounting of
the \$1,000,000 that the Justice Reinvestment Initiative set aside
in 2012 for community-based programs and the \$3,400,000 set aside
in 2013 for expanding treatment programs and victims' services and
initiating plans to establish a research and planning office.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure
from the Department of Public Safety; Crime Victim Compensation
Commission; Institute for Human Services, Inc.; Community Alliance
on Prisons; Ho'omana Pono, LLC; and four individuals.

Your Committees find that justice reinvestment legislation
mandates use of a pretrial risk assessment, reduces sentences for
certain parole violations and drug offenses, expands parole, and
enhances community-based treatment and victims' services. After
only the first year of implementation, justice reinvestment led to



a four percent decrease in the State's incarcerated population and saved the State \$2,500,000 in fiscal year 2013. An itemized accounting of Justice Reinvestment Initiative funds will provide accountability and better assurance that data-driven and evidence-based strategies are used to further justice reinvestment in the State.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and Judiciary and Labor that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 45 and recommend that it be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Public Safety,
Intergovernmental and Military
Affairs and Judiciary and
Labor,


GILBERT S.C. KEITH-AGARAN, Chair


WILL ESPERO, Chair



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<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313</div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
ESPERO, Will (C)				✓
BAKER, Rosalyn H. (VC)	✓			
GALUTERIA, Brickwood	✓			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	4	—	—	1
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align: center; font-family: cursive; font-size: 1.2em;">Rosalyn H. Baker</div>				
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KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (C)	✓			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. (VC)	✓			
ESPERO, Will				✓
GABBARD, Mike	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les	✓			
THIELEN, Laura H.				✓
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	5			2
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted </div>				
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